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## Diary Dates



**8th July** – Open Morning 9am & Reception Cooking Week

**12th July** – No Double Club & Year 1 Forest School

**15th July** – Zoom meeting with teachers & Badminton Club make up session

**16th July** – Zoom meeting with teachers

**17th July** – KS2 Production 2pm & 7pm

**19th July** – Leavers Mass 9.30am & Leavers Assembly 11am & Last Day of Term

## Lunch

w/c 8th July Week 2

Please pay lunches on School Money - £2.40 per day

## Swimming

**8th July – Year 4&6 Swim – Last swim**

**9th July – Year 2 – Last swim**

## Year 3 and 4 Charity Day- Tennis Festival

On Tuesday the children enjoyed a morning of tennis, table tennis, badminton and strawberries. Despite the rain, the children had lots of fun and raised money for the British Heart Foundation in memory of Ollie Toms. Thank you for your kind donations. If you haven't already donated, please log on to SchoolMoney to make your donation.

Many thanks for your support,  
Year 3 and 4 teams



## Zoom Dates: 15th & 16th July

You are invited to meet your child's new teacher on Zoom where you will hear about some of the plans for the new term. Please see below dates and times for each class. **You will receive the Zoom link on the day.**

**Please note: change of day and time for Year 1 and Year 5.**

### **Monday 15th July**

4.30pm – Year 5

5.00pm - Year 2

5.30pm – Year 4

### **Tuesday 16th July**

4.30pm – Year 6

5.00pm – Year 3

5.30pm – Year 1

## Clubs

All clubs have now finished apart from Monday 8th July and Badminton Club, which will have a make up session on Monday 15th July.

## School Money Balances

As we get close to the end of the school year please could you log onto School Money and clear the balances. Thank you.

## Prayer of the Week

**Sunday 7th June is the 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Alleluia, Alleluia

The spirit of the Lord is upon me, for he sent me to bring glad tidings to the poor.

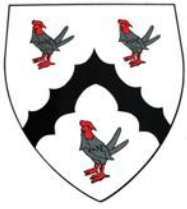
Alleluia

Thank you God for everything you have given us. We are grateful for our families and friends who love us.

We are thankful for the beautiful world you created.

Please help us to remember that we all belong to one world. We are one global family. Help us to look after our world and care for our neighbours far and wide.

Amen.  
By Year 1



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## Early Bird & Double Club

Just a reminder that anyone who wishes to use Early Bird or Double Club in September must renew their booking. Confirm your slot by e-mailing the School Office. If you have not used Early Bird or Double Club before but wish to do so in September please send your requirements into the School Office asap.

## KS2 Production – Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July at 2pm & 7pm

We are delighted to welcome you to our production of **The – X – Factory**.

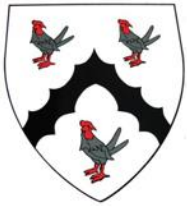
Two family members are welcome at each performance. Each adult is allowed to attend one performance only. Pre-school children are welcome at 2pm only. Our Infant children will have watched the performance and must not attend in the evening.

**Year 6 Parents:** We would like to offer you reserved seating for the production next week. Each family is allowed 2 adults per performance. We can only guarantee reserved seating if you please let the office know which performance you are planning to attend and how many seats you would like, or if you require seats at both performances. Please note each adult is only allowed to attend once.

## Count Me In

On Thursday July 4th years 3 and 4 went to Saffron Hall for a fantastic performance called 'Count Me In.' We learnt about links between music and maths and listened to an amazing international pianist, Alexandra Dariescu. It was presented by Timothy Redmond, London Symphony Orchestra conductor and presenter. We sang along and pretended we were the orchestra for the piano concerto. It was very a very enjoyable and inspiring time.





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## PSA News

### Summer Fete

Thank you to everyone who supported the school fete on Saturday. It was a wonderful afternoon and helped raise some much needed funds towards the PSA. A big thank you to Sophie Brady and to the staff who helped organise this event.

## More Sports News

### Swimming Hats

Year 6 children without siblings in the school, please could they donate their swimming hats to the school after next weeks swim. Please hand to Mrs Head as they leave. Thank you.

### Cricket Finals

On Thursday 4th July Year 4 team took part in the district Rapid Fire Finals at the Saffron Walden Cricket Pitch. The team faced 11 schools from across Uttlesford, playing some super Cricket. They fielded well and hit some exceptional shots seeing them face Katherine Semar in the Final. Despite playing well as a team, they narrowly lost 123-131, winning them silver medals. A huge well done to everyone who took part.

